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EASTLAND DEBT S REDUCED AT COMM'R PARLEY

Tenders, for which the City of Eastland had advertised on Eastland's general bonds, were opened at a meeting of the commission Tuesday night and the city paid interest on all outstanding general bonds and bought \$51,000 in general bonds.

The general bonds were bought at a price of approximately 24 cents on the dollar.

District Meeting Of NYA Started in Ranger On Friday

A district National Youth Administration meeting got under way today in Ranger, and will continue through Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Friday afternoon a tour of the shops, barracks and girls' dormitory was scheduled to begin at 3 o'clock.

Those present from out of town included A. D. Grainger, state director of finance; R. D. Leberman, field supervisor of the division of employment; Capt. Metner, airplane mechanics state supervisor; E. A. Siegler, district director; W. B. Watkins, district engineer; Ed Rowland, district architect; Raymond Morton, from the district office; T. D. Eddy, finance supervisor of the district office; W. H. Rokey, employment supervisor of the district office; Hamilton Moore, public relations supervisor of the district office; Frank G. McDonald, public relations; Mrs. Elizabeth Williams and Mrs. Faith Smith, district office; Robert McMillan, area supervisor, Fort Worth; Ted Weaver, area supervisor, Vernon; Bala Williams, area supervisor, Wichita Falls; Glenn Robertson, assistant area supervisor, Vernon; Orton Ambrough, area supervisor, Haskell; Maurice Harkins, area supervisor, Mineral Wells; Jack Hale, area supervisor, Eastland; David W. Fisher, airplane mechanics supervisor, Fort Worth and M. B. Brighton, of the Fort Worth office.

Compliance Meet Schedule Given

C. W. Mainer, county AAA administrative assistant, today announced a schedule of meetings at which AAA community committees will discuss questions regarding 1940 compliance under the program.

Those who attend the meetings are urged to have their allotment notices with them.

All meetings, as follows, will be held from 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. in the Chamber of Commerce, April 8-9.

Rising Star, City Hall, April 9.

Ranger, City Hall, April 10-11.

Gorman, Higginbotham Bros., April 10-11.

Carbon, Carbon Trading Co., April 12-13.

Eastland, AAA Office, April 12-13.

Model Airplanes To Compete At Snyder

Word has been received here that a model airplane meet will be held at Snyder Sunday, April 7, with \$25 prizes being offered winners.

Any licensed or unlicensed model plane is eligible to compete in the meet and all entries will be weighed and classified after they have been registered.

The meet is being sponsored by the Snyder Model Club, the Snyder Chamber of Commerce and business men. No entrance fee is charged and the meet is free for all who care to enter.

Line Coach Named For Cisco Lobos

CISCO, Texas, April 5.—Dratey, guard on the Hardin-Simmons University team of last fall through in the Cowboys' spring training, has been elected line coach for the Cisco Lobos. Cathey, highly rated by Kimbrough, will assume duties in September.

Visiting Master



Martin Pose

Independents Win In Volley Ball Tournament

Independent teams were winners in both leagues of the Corral Community Center volleyball tournament in Ranger. Final standing of the teams is:

Men's League	
Broncos	1000
Vagabonds	600
Eastland	400
Bulldogs	400
Fire Dept.	400

Girls' League	
Independents	1000
Eastland	800
High School	400
NYA	400
C.C.C.	200
Broncos	600

Tuesday night at 8:00 p. m. an exhibition game will be played. All star teams have been picked in each league and these teams will play the winning team in each league.

Members of the all star team will be: Merris (Vagabonds) McClesky (Eastland), Towzen (Bulldogs), Lawless (Fire Dept.), Blackwell (Broncos), and Artburn (Vagabonds). Alternates are Warden (Bulldogs), Hagor (Broncos), and Rust (Eastland).

Girls' all star team will include: Lorena Crabb (C.C.C.), Hazel McClesky and Doris Curtis (Eastland), Lila Howell and Lola Spindle (High School), and Evelyn Payne (NYA). Alternates will be Myrtle Duggan (C.C.C.).

Trash Hauling Will Be Started Monday

A. N. Larson and L. W. Meador, co-chairman of the Ranger Clean-up campaign, stated today that trash hauling will be started Monday morning, April 8, and will be continued until all trash that has accumulated during the campaign has been removed.

Anyone having trash piled up to be hauled away has been urged to notify the Chamber of Commerce if it has not been removed in a reasonable time after the hauling starts Monday.

Nazarene Revival To Start Saturday

A revival at the Church of the Nazarene will start Saturday night, with Rev. J. A. Gray of Frederick, Okla., as the visiting evangelist.

The public has been invited to attend and hear old time religion preached.

FIREMEN ADOPT CRIPPLE MONTGOMERY, Ala.

WILLIAM THOMAS LOCKHART, who has spent the last 31 of his 59 years in a wheel-chair, has been adopted by the Montgomery Fire Department. The invalid rolls into the fire house with the first blast of winter and the choice bench by the big stove is turned over to him. That is his bed for the winter. In summer Lockhart sleeps in his chair.

CLOTHING AND FOOD STAMPS TO BE ISSUED

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Food and clothing stamp plans will be expanded by July 1 to supply surplus food and clothing for nearly 2,000,000 persons on relief, agriculture department officials said today.

Confident that a senate-approved appropriation of \$187,000,000 to operate the programs during the next fiscal year will pass the house, officials expect to put them into operation in 100 or more cities by the end of this fiscal year.

Officials said the food stamp plan, begun last May in Rochester, N. Y., had proved "an unqualified success" and predicted a similar success for the cotton plan which will be started in Memphis, Tenn., on an experimental basis about May 1.

The need for the new cotton plan, both because of the 12,000,000 bale cotton surplus and the demand for clothing for relief families, is fully as great as that for the food plan, officials said.

Other experimental operations by the end of June will be made in three of four cities yet to be selected, they said. More than 30 cities have asked for the cotton plan but officials will choose from those where administrative machinery has been set up for handling the food plan.

The food stamp plan now is supplying approximately 1,200,000 persons in 49 cities with more than \$2,000,000 worth of free food a month. Twenty-one other cities have been selected for operations to start this month.

The cotton plan will be expanded by next fall if its operation in the experimental cities proves practical. Officials said a trial period of three or four months will be necessary.

Operation of the cotton stamp plan will be similar to that of the food plan. It differs in that food stamp purchasers pay \$1.00 for each \$1.50 book of stamps, whereas cotton stamp purchasers get \$2.00 worth of stamps for \$1.00.

The new plan establishes a \$4.00 minimum and a \$6.00 maximum amount of stamps that may be purchased at three-month intervals by families of one or two persons. Families of three and four persons may purchase \$6.00 to \$10.00 worth while larger families may purchase between \$8.00 and \$12.00 worth of stamps. All stamps will be in 25-cent denominations.

Any family receiving public relief, or designated as eligible to receive relief will be entitled to participate in the plan. The stamps will be good at all retail stores in exchange for any new cotton goods, made in the United States of American-grown cotton.

Desdemona Names Mayor, Aldermen

By Mrs. W. C. Bedford

DESDEMONA, April 5.—As soon as the polls closed Tuesday evening and the result of the city election was announced a celebration began that lasted from 7:30 until 9 o'clock.

The crowd was large but all were given cold drinks at the expense of L. E. Clark and cakes and cookies at the expense of G. S. Bruce, neither of whom had been candidate for office but who were interested in the welfare of the town.

The joy of those who had worked to get everyone possible to the polls was expressed in various orderly ways.

J. H. Rusinger was re-elected mayor by 82 votes over T. H. Key, who received 33 votes. The three aldermen elected were A. D. Baker (re-elected), who led the ticket with 94 votes; J. E. Heeter, 88 votes, and Odie Brightwater, 75 votes. The defeated candidates for aldermen were T. L. Area (44 votes) and E. Miles (32 votes).

Mrs. W. H. Powers was judge of the election and the clerks were Jesse Sparkman, Miss Emma Genoway and Mrs. W. H. Whitworth.

Farley Arrives At Marshall For Talk

MARSHALL, April 5.—Postmaster General James A. Farley was greeted by 3,000 school children when he arrived today to address the Texas Postmasters convention after he made appearances at Tyler and Longview.

He declined to reveal the topic of his talk last night with ex-Gov. Jim Ferguson.

Germany Bitter Over Churchill's Rise To Power

Germany's most hated foe, Winston Leonard Spencer Churchill, has been elevated in the British cabinet to chief minister for all the fighting forces—sea, land and air.

"Elevated from war monger to grand war monger," scornfully comments the German official radio.

The British public was disappointed in the cabinet reshuffle, which involved almost no changes in personnel. One paper referred to it as a game of pass-in-the-corner and another likened it to the changing of seats at the mad tea party in "Alice in Wonderland."

There was no discontent with Churchill's appointment. The people look on the dynamic, ebullient warrior as a man who gets things done. Now he is not only first lord of the admiralty but also will be chairman of the committee which directs the strategy of all three branches of the fighting services.

Churchill has never been made prime minister because of his unpopularity and instability. Yet he has held almost every important office in the power of the government to bestow. He has been called admiringly "one of the most successful failures the world has ever seen."

Churchill was called into office as first lord of the admiralty in 1911, when Britain and Germany clashed over the "Agadir Incident" in Morocco and were close to war. Churchill was told to reorganize and strengthen the navy, and he did.

"He is knocking over the admiral's like ninepins," it was commented as he got to work. Convinced that war with Germany was inevitable sooner or later, he built up the navy to assure Britain's domination of the seas.

Among his innovations was introduction of the 3.5-inch gun, development of the light cruiser and the effective fast battleships of the "Queen Elizabeth" type.

When the fateful days of August, 1914, approached, Churchill was ready. Other members of the government hoped for a compromise with Germany, Churchill said. He staked his whole career when he secretly ordered the fleet out to sea in battle array on July 7, five days before war was declared.

The long line of warships steamed out at night, with lights out, to take their positions for bottling up the German fleet. Churchill had been wrong, but he would have been ruined.

When the cabinet met on the night of Aug. 4, Premier Asquith announced it was war and ordered the fleet out. Churchill merely smiled.

Don't Put Weeds Into Streets Is Caution Of Group

Officials pointed out today that some residents, a few, are cooperating in the clean-up campaign and then on the other hand are undoing their work.

"It has come to the observation of officials of the clean-up, fixing and paint-up campaign that several persons have cut weeds and cleared land in front of their property or on nearby streets and then pushed the debris into the street or allowed the wind to do so."

"The streets are not receptacles for trash and this practice should not be engaged in," officials said of those who have been guilty.

T. C. U. Will Confer Honorary Degrees

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Four honorary doctor's degrees will be conferred by Texas Christian University at its 67th commencement June 3, according to President E. M. Waits.

Honorary doctor of law degrees will be conferred on Judge Tom L. Beauchamp of Austin, member of the Court of Criminal Appeals, and Douglas A. Shirley of Canyon, registrar at West Texas. The degree of doctor of literature will be given to J. Frank Dobie of Austin, author-faculty member of the University of Texas.

Rev. George F. Cuthrell, pastor of First Christian Church at Tyler, will receive a doctor of divinity degree.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Fair north, cloudy south portion tonight. Saturday fair, high cloudiness southeast portion. Generally colder tonight with near freezing in Panhandle. Rising temperatures Panhandle, Saturday.

PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

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Parings Listed In Golf Tourney Staged in Ranger

Qualifying rounds have been completed in the Ranger Country Club member tournament, with pairings being listed in the six flights by a committee composed of A. N. Larson, H. T. Schooley and P. E. Moore. Several Eastland players have qualified and will be entered in the tournament.

Pairings announced today by the committee were as follows:

First flight—Elmer Norris, Jr., 76, vs. H. H. Vaughn, 82; R. V. Cole, 77, vs. Roy Truver, 80; J. J. Hensley, 80, vs. James Phillips, 77; Sam Conner, 75, vs. Glenn West, 84.

Second flight—Clois Phillips, 86, vs. Rice Herrington, 91; E. F. Latham, 86, vs. W. R. Cole, 80; R. H. Snyder, 88, vs. E. L. Norris, Sr., 90; Earl Conner, 84, vs. P. F. Brashear, 92.

Third flight—Happy Harrison, 92, vs. Lee Thompson, 96; Bobbie Powell, 93, vs. H. T. Schooley, 96; Guy T. Emith, 93, vs. Chief Williams, 93; Tom Fred Reese, 92, vs. H. G. Jennings, 101.

Fourth flight—H. P. Earnest, 102, vs. C. L. Crews, 104; H. B. Joyce, 103, vs. Arthur Williams, 104; A. N. Larson, 104, vs. W. L. Downtain, 103; Rip Galloway, 105, vs. B. E. Garner, 102.

Fifth flight—Al R. Bennett, 106, vs. Pete Brashear, 108; Judge Funderburk, 107, vs. Elton Jennings, 108; Dick Williams, 107, vs. P. E. Moore, 108; Mickey Sloan, 106, vs. Dave Cooper, 108.

Sixth flight—Fred Hughes, 112, vs. Bessie Alex Roberson, 112, vs. J. R. McLaughlin, 108.

British Bombers Raid Naval Base At Wilhelmshaven

The British air ministry announced today that the Royal Air Force planes had bombed German warships at the Wilhelmshaven Base, then had damaged four destroyers outside Wilhelmshaven and had returned safely to England.

On the Western Front, the German high command said, 15 French soldiers were killed in a German attack. The French said the attack was repulsed.

London announced that shipping losses in March were 34 British and neutral vessels, which was the lowest loss of any month of the war.

Girl Is Held in Death Ring Quiz



Evelyn Mittelman, above, held as a material witness by New York authorities investigating Brooklyn's "murder ring," was described as a messenger between alleged ring members already arrested and those still in hiding. She is a friend of Harry (Pittsburgh Phil) Straus, indicted in two murders.

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West-Central Oil Meet Is Scheduled At Graham Apr. 10

ABILENE, Tex.—Spring meeting of the West-Central Texas Oil and Gas Association will be held in Graham at the Graham Memorial Auditorium, April 10, it has been announced by Joe A. Clarke, Albany, president of the Association, and J. C. Hunter, Executive Secretary, Abilene. The meeting will begin at 7 p. m.

A program of broad interest to the oil men, landowners, ranchers and business men who make up the association's large membership in the 19 counties of the West-Central Texas region has been arranged. H. R. Fell, executive vice-president of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, will be the principal speaker. He will discuss national issues now before Congress. He recently returned from Washington where he was a member of the joint committee of several associations which prepared testimony in opposition to the federal oil control bill known as the Cole Bill and he was one of the principal witnesses before the Cole investigating committee.

Mr. Fell will discuss the Cole Bill, the effect of the Venezuelan Trade Agreement on imports of foreign oil and the possibility of another attempt to eliminate the 27 1-2 per cent depletion allowance on oil.

Officers of the association are extending a general invitation to all who are directly or indirectly interested in and affected by oil to attend the meeting. The last general meeting of the association, was held in Mineral Wells in December.

Businessman Shot As A Bank Robber

WEBER FALLS, Okla., April 5.—H. B. Egan, Muskogee business man, was shot in the head by officers today when they mistook him for one of several robbers at the State Bank here.

His wounds were not considered critical. Egan said that a man and his girl companions, arrested after the holdup, commanded their car at Muskogee and forced him to go with them.

Former Eastlandite Is API Representative

To represent East Texas, Robert M. Bass, with Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company at Troup and formerly with the firm at Eastland, was named vice-chairman of the Southwestern division, division of production, American Petroleum Institute, at the group's meeting recently in Houston.

Finn Communist "People's" Leader Can't Be Located

By Harold Peters

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, April 5.—What happened to Otto Kuusinen?

A telegraphic search of Europe's usually prolific information centers failed today to turn up even a rumor as to the fate of the Finnish communist, who last December, became head of the "Finnish People's Government" set up under protection of the Red army in the border town of Terijoki.

Since peace returned to Finland, the Kuusinen "government" has been officially dissolved. Kuusinen, whose name had been appearing frequently in Moscow newspapers, has vanished from the headlines into the comparative obscurity from which he emerged at the beginning of the northern war.

At Moscow, it was said that, in the absence of any official statement to the contrary, Kuusinen presumably reverted to his post as secretary of the communist international. He had held that job since 1921, after fleeing from Finland upon collapse of a short-lived Red regime.

But the strangest episode of his life was to come two decades later when the Krenlin ordered a "defensive" invasion of Finland and looked around for somebody to head a "people's government." Kuusinen at that time was virtually unknown outside the Soviet Union, but overnight he was catapulted into the middle of one of the world's most dramatic conflicts.

Russia announced that it no longer recognized the constituted government of Finland and that relations had been established, instead, with "the people's government of the Democratic Republic of Finland." The "government" was headed by Kuusinen. Its seat was ostensibly at Terijoki, a small frontier town in Finland, just over the Russian border.

In the early days of the war the Soviet indicated that it would have no further dealings with the established Finnish government and that any peace settlement would be made by the Kuusinen government which "called on" the Soviet army to "liberate" Finland.

As the conflict was joined, however, Russian troops made scant progress with the invasion, the Finnish masses notably refrained from rallying to Kuusinen and less and less began to be heard of the "people's government."

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Rain Promised In Much Of The State

Temperatures dropped sharply today in Texas after a day of record-breaking heat yesterday that caused one death in Houston.

Federal weather forecasters said that near freezing temperatures would reach the Panhandle area of Texas tonight, and many areas will have rain.

Overcast skies and a windy area extended from El Paso to Fort Worth, where showers were reported. Bonham reported a one-inch rain today.

High School Night Named At Center

Tonight and every Friday night will be Ranger High School night at the Corral Community Center. All students in high school and junior college are invited.

In order to keep those nights strictly high school nights, identification cards are being issued at the Corral and must be presented for admission. Students may obtain their cards free of charge by applying at the office of the Corral.

COUNTERFEITING TIPS PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA.—Howard Everett, 29, was arrested for making counterfeit \$5-cent pieces. He told police that he learned to make them while in the county jail. "I overheard some prisoners explaining how coins were made, so I paid close attention," Everett said. The prisoner also admitted passing the coins in disguise.

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Any erroneous reflections upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Count Us Out, Thank You

A loud voice telling us to mind our own business, belied forth across the Atlantic a few days ago—the voice of Oliver Stanley, Britain's secretary of state for war.

Mr. Stanley apparently resented American armchair strategy, denied that there was anything "phony" about the war, declared that the belligerents will run it the way they see fit. Britain is not amused by our attitude toward her war.

But in the same breath that Mr. Stanley demanded that Britain and France be left to handle the war in their own way because it was their war he blandly announced that neutrals can't stay out of it—that it is their war as much as it's Britain's. "There are millions of individuals all over the world whose one thought is how to keep out of war; but, despite their efforts, they are in it . . ." the war secretary said.

Yes, Mr. Stanley, we're in it—insofar as we have been dragged in against our will. We don't think it's our war, as you would have us believe, because we didn't want it to start. Imbued with ideals of American democracy, we fell all along that the war need never have begun.

Oh, it's not all your fault. You will say that no part of it is your fault, but some people feel differently about that over here. They feel that the motives for war carry back somewhat farther than the eye can see, and that perhaps, in the tide of events that led up to actual conflict, you weren't all together blameless.

But that isn't important to us now. The things that concern us are our rights as a neutral nation. As long as we're not violating international law, we don't like to have our mails censored. We don't relish having our merchantmen stopped and searched when they are on entirely innocent missions.

It's no good trying to frighten or threaten us over to your side. We're not biting. We're staying out of this war. Did you get that?—WE'RE STAYING OUT.

We don't like Hitlerism. But neither do we like war. If you people in Europe must go to war in Europe count us out we do much better on this side of the Atlantic. There are 21 republics on two continents, living together as peaceful neighbors. We like it that way. We don't want to change it.

Russia is said to be getting interested in the axis. Her foray into Finland apparently made her eligible.

The Mauretania and Queen Mary may soon be turned into troop ships. Considering the size of the luxury liners, it wouldn't be at all surprising to learn that military authorities mislaid the 12th Canadian division on the trip across.

Joe Stalin is going to get American royalties from his book. That's likely to be a touchy matter for Hitler, who couldn't collect.

Garden Roses and Celosia



The garden roses and celosia, illustrated above, are one of a series of 48 flower arrangements illustrated by natural-color photographs in the new book, "Flower Arranging—a Fascinating Hobby" written by Laura Lee Burroughs.

Society Notes

Mrs. Arterburn Compliments

Mrs. K. F. Arterburn entertained at her home Thursday afternoon with a party and shower complimenting her sister, Mrs. Herbert Rapp.

Various games were played during the afternoon and prizes which were awarded were later presented of the honored guest.

A delicious iced course was served at the close of the games, and a shower of gifts presented Mrs. Rapp by the following:

Mmes. Pleas Moore, Hargraves, Carrie Henry, Dell Cunningham, Maud Ellise, Raymond Steel, Doc Southern, Ray Todd, Luke Weems, Gall Towne, G. D. Chastain, Doc Dial, Jack Urban, Garvin Chastain, Jr., R. E. Johnson, Al Tume, Johnny Elwood, Raymond Doss, Willard Swaney, Bob Hodges, Edd Brink, Misses Roba Rawls, Mildred Stevens, Francis Johnson, Fay Branton, Ora May McGee, Eunice Presslar, Velma Brown and Annetta Fay Hoffman.

Bride-Elect Complimented

At Open House

The Pollyanna Class of the First Baptist Church, taught by Mrs. W. A. Reuser, and the Y. W. A. and its sponsor, Mrs. Finis King, entertained Thursday evening at the church with an open house complimenting Miss Annabell Wright, bride-elect of Mr. W. L. Waynick.

Arrangements of bridal wreaths were used in decorating the rooms and were also used on the lace covered refreshment table.

Guesting the guests as they arrived were Misses Mary Jane Todd, Inez Harrell, Eunice Presslar and Mona Robinson.

The bride's book, which was a gift from Mrs. Finis King, was presided over by Miss Marguerite Stevens and Miss Dorothy Davis.

Miss Velma Brown served at the punch bowl, and assisting in serving were Misses Jimmie Beth Todd and Elizabeth Jay.

A shower of handsome gifts was presented Miss Wright by those attending.

Guests who called during the evening were:

Misses Dorothy Davis, Elizabeth Jay, Marguerite Stevens, Mona Robinson, Ora Mae McGee, Gene Peterson, Juanita Murray, Thelma Acuff, Velma Brown, Oleta Pounds, Lola Spindle, Mary Jane Todd, Lillian Carter, Dorothy Byas, Jimmie Beth Todd, Inez Harrell, Betty Jean Reuser, Minnie

Lee Shirley, Merle Branton, Polly Seymour, Bonnie Harper, Imogene Bailey, Frances Usery, Beatrice Reagan, Eunice Presslar, and Odell Jay.

Messes W. L. Jackson and Andrew L. Jackson.

Mmes. Ross Hodges, Bob Hodges, W. R. Todd, Al Tume, Chas. Surbrook, Cora Presslar, E. A. Grigolett, W. L. Jackson, O. M. Lemmond, Nannie Walker, J. H. Greer, R. V. Robinson, T. J. Anderson, Lee Mitchell, Raymond Steele, Forrest Lyon, W. D. Waynick, Forrest Webber, Reid Campbell, R. L. Ross, Finis K. King, W. A. Reuser and William A. Lewis.

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MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief

Many sufferers believe nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the waste acids and poisons out of the blood. They help most people to live about 30 years.

When disorder of kidney function prevents poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of sleep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness. Frequent urinary passages with scalding and burning sensations along their is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give long relief and will help the 15 million of kidney troubles that out poison waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

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USED TIRES and TUBES 50c Up

NEW BATTERIES \$2.95 Up Exchange

One '27 Chevrolet Sedan, Ready to Go . . . \$25.00

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One '29 Chevrolet Sedan \$60.00

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SERIAL STORY

K. O. CAVALIER BY JERRY BRONDFIELD

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YESTERDAY, Eddie begins his training with a light workout and three rounds with Kelly. Although he is supposed to be sparing, Cavalier pounds Kelly with-out mercy. Val makes Duffy stop the slaughter, calls Cavalier a heel.

CHAPTER VIII

Eddie and Mike sparred lightly the last two rounds and when Pop Grimes called a halt Cavalier went over and took both of Mike's hands in his.

"I'm sorry about that first round, Mike. Honest I am. That done there... I guess... Well, it just..."

Mike nodded. "Yeah, kid. I know. That's okay... forget it. You didn't hurt me much."

Eddie slapped him on the back and rushed behind to take a shower.

Val Douglas looked after him thoughtfully. "He might be generally sorry but it'll still make a good story. I'm filing my first one tonight."

"Never mind your story," Kelso called. "What about our \$5000 forfeit money?"

"I don't know why I should play Santa Claus, but I might have an idea about that, too," she said.

SHE found Captain Hansen in his cabin. Quickly she explained the situation they had put Kelso to "Stevie," she concluded, "I'm going to wire Uncle Hank the facts and have him lend Duffy the money."

Captain Hansen looked at her a long time before replying. "Honey," he said gently, "how those three men really came on board will have to be held from your Uncle Hank for awhile. It's had enough he'll be knowing they're on board just as he reads the papers. But there's something more important."

He paused for another moment. "As much as your Uncle Hank would want to do anything in the world for you he wouldn't be able to scrape up \$5000 in less than a month—if at all," he added significantly.

"Stevie—what do you mean? That isn't so much."

"Normally, it wouldn't be, but remember I told you we have a lot of reconditioning to do? Well, Uncle Hank has just about every penny he could get his hands on already tied up. That's why we need this Holiday contract to wind things up. Then we'll be bouncing right back up there again."

She nodded. "I didn't think... I had no idea Uncle Hank was working on such a close margin. What happened?"

"Well, just between you 'n me, honey, that rival line is trying to freeze us out of the coast trade. An' they haven't been too particular about their methods."

"Is that what you meant when you mentioned those tough breaks we've been having lately?"

He nodded. "Fire in our freight warehouse once. Two ton of salmon hijacked on the road before we could deliver it to the consignee. Little delays here and there that slow down the service. Never had any proof, of course, but we have ideas."

"And that machinery going up to Prince Rupert? You're worried about that, too?"

"Not while it's on board, we're not. But it's handling it at Prince Rupert that'll take a lot of care. All they got to do is steal one little cog, or something, or throw some little lever outa whack and th' whole works will be held up until th' part can be sent up from Frisco."

He patted her shoulder. "But you worry about your box-fighter and I'll worry about the important things."

"Oh, he's important," she said quickly. "In a different sort of way, that is. After all, he's sort of our responsibility. And maybe I can still help him," she said thoughtfully. "I think I can get our San Francisco bureau to intervene with the boxing commission. In fact, I'm sure of it, but don't let Kelso or Cavalier know anything about it."

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"That's good," he said briefly. "I'll be all closed up in a week. But what I wanted to ask you was not to scorch me too much for this morning. I didn't realize Mike wasn't wearing a headguard and somehow I got a crazy notion that you had prodded Mike into giving me something I wasn't looking for. You were right when you called me a heel—then, I'll go easy on him from now on."

"Mike's an old man as fighters go but he can take care of himself," she observed. "As for my story—I'll have to think it over. It'll look awful good in print, you know—Eddie Cavalier takes advantage of washed-up spar-mate."

"Okay," he said quietly. "Cru-

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"He means that, too," Val said slowly. "You'll serve your trick in the galley from now on, Mister Kelso."

There was snicker from someone at the other end of the table. "I'll die first," Duffy roared. "I'll be by starvation, then," Val replied sweetly. "Remember—no work, no eat."

"(To Be Continued)

city me. You're pulling all the strings in this deal, anyway. An' I'm the heel. That's a good one! Night calls the crow black!"

"Ah, a brilliant piece of euphemism. Who said fighters were dumb? Why, I'll bet you can add two and two and get four for an answer without putting it on paper."

"I believe I can," he said grimly. "I'll have some other answers once I get you ashore."

She raised an eyebrow. "Threatening me, eh? What are you going to do—beat me up?"

"If I can't think of anything better, I will."

SHE found a wire from her office when she sat down at the table. It said: "Great work. We have scoop of century. Everyone else screaming. Give us first story soonest possible and keep coming 300 daily."

She shoved the message across to Cavalier. "This'll kill you."

He read it and Val felt like chucking at his expression of disgust.

Duffy Kelso peered suspiciously at the food Wong Lee was sitting on the table and suddenly burst into a roar.

"Bread... potatoes... meat pie... starch and more starch! Hey, Wun Lung! Duffy howled. "Get that stuff away from that fighter. Go easy on that starchy stuff, get me. He's gonna get hog-fat. He's gotta have more fresh greens and less of this hash you dish out."

Wong Lee's eyes never changed their expression.

"Mr. Kelso," Val said lily. "We treat everyone around here with all the respect due them. If Captain Hansen were here now it would go bad with you."

"Nuts," said Kelso. "What about it? Do we or don't we get some sort of training diet around here?"

"Don't bother, Duffy," Eddie said quietly. "Let can get along on this."

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"OUT OUR WAY"

BY WILLIAMS



THE TEACHERS

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BY HAMLIN



Archery Tournament Robin Hood's Men of Mullin, San Saba and Brownwood met at the Howard Payne Stadium in Brownwood Saturday for an archery tournament. Both Scouts and Scouters of the council are becoming more interested in archery. Boys in many of the troops are making their archery equipment at this time. The next tournament will be held during the latter part of May. D. L. Moody of Brownwood is activities man in charge of archery.

A Frozen Legend May Be Thawed

REVELSTOKE, B. C.—An expedition to clear up the three-quarter-century-old mystery of the "dead man of Mt. Begbie" may be sponsored by the Revelstoke Board of Trade next summer. After 74 years the rumor still persists that the frozen body of an adventurous climber was to be seen on the frozen slopes of 9,000-foot Mt. Begbie in the Canadian Rockies, encased in a deep crevasse near the summit. Actual proof has never been furnished in connection with the story, but legends die hard in the west and the old tale emanating from the Indians still lives. Many mountaineers vow they have seen the frozen body embalmed in the side of the crevasse, while many more vow with equal fervor the whole tale is but another Indian legend. Two theories exist among proponents of the tale. Some insist the unfortunate mystery man was a French-Canadian prospector, one of a group of three who worked in the district in the early '60s. Another version is that he was a Salish Indian who climbed the peak to locate new hunting grounds for his tribe, preysed by the coming of the whites. First white man to report the tale according to local historians, was the late J. C. Montgomery, British Columbia pioneer, who came up the Columbia river in 1866 as a crew member of the historic stern-wheeler Forty-nine, carrying gold miners to the Big Bend gold fields. Montgomery then was told the tale by Indians. Skeptics assert it improbable that anyone would be found on the top of such a mountain, they contend, this form of sport being looked upon by them as a violent form of insanity. Early settlers and miners looked upon mountain climbing with equal disgust, as a sheer waste of time. No record exists of Alpine climbers from other parts of the country being in that district at the time. However, when the Big Bend highway opens in July the Revelstoke Board of Trade will sponsor a climbing party that will attempt to prove or disprove the story.

ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



LEGISLATOR REFUSED PAY

COLUMBUS, O.—A member of the Ohio legislature who draws a regular pay check from the state treasury on an annual salary of \$2,000 tried to get unemployment compensation when he lost his job in private industry. The legislator, whose name was withheld, got a polite rejection from the state bureau of unemployment compensation.

40-60 ALIMONY ASKED

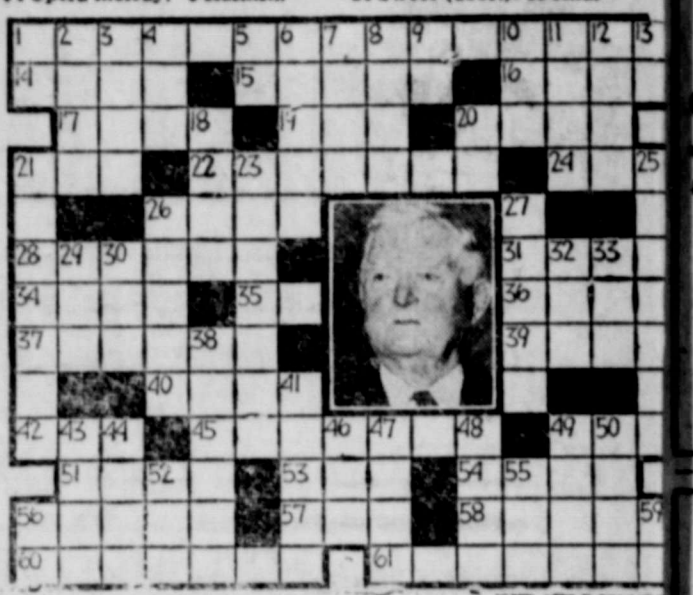
SANTA ROSA, Cal.—Mrs. Emma Carusso in her petition for divorce from her husband, a WPA worker, the states that he earns \$50 a month and asks that she be given \$20 of it for alimony. She also wants \$100 attorney fees and \$20 court costs. She charged cruelty.

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Mr. McDaniel said that an idea of the widespread popularity of flower arranging as a hobby may be realized from the fact that four hundred thousand copies of the book already have been distributed.

Those interested in securing a copy may obtain one by writing the Coca-Cola Company, Atlanta, Georgia, and enclosing 10 cents in stamps or coin to help cover the cost of handling and mailing each book ordered.

SUNDAY ROASTS JINXED
PITTSBURG, Cal.—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blincoe would like to know how to meet their meat problems. One week-end it was the roast that burned in the oven. The next week-end Blincoe had just purchased a \$1.50 leg of lamb for the Sunday dinner, turned around for an instant to chat with an acquaintance, and presto, it was gone.

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Striking Changes Take Place In Tax Situation

By United Press

AUSTIN, Texas—Some striking changes have taken place in the state tax situation in five years. State comptroller Sheppard's annual report includes a comparative statement of state revenue receipts for the fiscal years 1935 to 1939 inclusive. During that period the state revenue receipts rose from \$113,339,691 to \$175,216,238.

In 1935 the highway motor fuel tax was biggest single source of state revenue and has continued highest throughout the period. In 1935 it brought the state a net revenue of \$38,550,273 and in 1939 the net revenue from it had risen to \$44,216,908.

Ad valorem property taxes, once a major source of state revenue, have declined in the five years from \$21,528,475 to \$14,963,516.

Cigaret smokers have steadily increased their contribution to the state government's support. The tax in 1939 amounted to \$6,890,109.

New income items that appear in the state revenue receipts since 1938 are teacher retirement contributions, which amount to approximately \$2,500,000 a year, and employers' contributions to the unemployment compensation fund, which in 1939 reached \$22,739,864.

Federal, county and other aid has grown from \$18,095,933 in 1935 to \$26,218,285.

Even more astonishing changes have taken place in the state expenditures during the same five-year period.

Public welfare including pensions and benefits in 1935 took \$9,051,723 from the state treasury. In 1939 the expenditure was \$35,515,550. Payment of public debt took only \$556,132 in 1935. But in 1938 it called for \$4,047,253. Highway expenditures in the five years advanced from \$46,107,342 to \$85,934,368. Legislative cost, even in the odd-numbered years in which long regular sessions of the legislature are held, advanced only \$12,060 comparing 1935 and 1937, and actually dropped \$140,000 between 1937 and 1939.

Court costs advanced only \$450,000 to a total of \$2,354,460 in 1939 but executive and administrative costs rose in the same five year period from \$1,546,916 to \$2,349,807.

Expenditures for regulation of business and industry more than doubled in the half-decade. In 1935 the state expenditure for such regulation was \$1,207,692; in 1939, it had risen to \$2,704,887.

More thorough itemization of expenditures is evidenced by the only item that shows a decrease over the five years. In 1935 there were lumped "miscellaneous government costs" totaling \$772,638 but in the 1939 report there is only \$50,015 classed as "miscellaneous."

Total expenditures rose from \$111,175,509 in 1935 to \$164,323,499 last year.

"Dear Alben" Barkley got himself into a Senate fight, and friends are beginning to fear he may not be majority leader next term. What worries other party leaders is that possibly no Democrat will be.

Basketball Team Takes On 4 Other Teams In A Game

By United Press

PORT ARTHUR, Texas—Baseball and track has just about replaced basketball on the sports pages but this item should be recorded before the cage sport takes a back seat until next winter.

The state champion gulf oilers topped off a rainy season by whipping a four-team combination sent against them in a game which featured the oiler's comic antics as much as their smooth offense.

Anyway, the oiler's won by the score of 110 to 31.

They played four other Gulf refinery teams—the Mechanics, Shippers, Stillmen and Powermen. Each of the four named played one quarter against the Oiler's.

DIARY KEPT 78 YEARS

By United Press

LONDON.—Britain's champion diarist, J. J. Jackson Barstow, Deputy Lieutenant of Somerset, who faithfully kept a daily record for 78 years, is dead at the age of 96 at his home at Weston-super-

Mare. The first entry in his diary, on Jan. 1, 1862, tells how he fell through the ice.

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YACHT CLUB TUNA Can 17c	MONARCH DILL PICKLES No. 2½ Can 18c
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DILL PICKLES 12c	MUSTARD Quart 10c
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SOUR PICKLES Large Jar 12c	FRAZIER CATSUP Lg. Bottle 10c
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VEGETOLE 8 Lb. Carton 69c

CLOVER BLOOM SWEET CREAM
Butter L B 32c

CARROTS 5 BUNCHES 10c	Turnip Greens 3 BUNCHES	Mustard Greens 10c
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LEMONS Dozen 12c	Beets 10c	Radishes 10c
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Society

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Marriage of Miss Griffith to Mr. Bennett Announced
Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith announced the marriage of their daughter, Cora Lee to Mr. George Elbert Bennett of Gorman. The ceremony was performed on Easter in Breckenridge, at the home of Rev. Raymond Gray, pastor of the First Methodist church. The young couple will make their home in Gorman.

Lone Star Bridge Club Entertained
Mrs. O. F. Dunning of Breckenridge entertained Thursday afternoon at her home in Breckenridge with a party for members of the Lone Star Bridge club.

A spring motif was used in the decorations of the room and in the games high score award was won by Mrs. Herman Kelley and second high was won by Mrs. A. H. Rawlins.

At the close of the games a salad course and iced drink were served to the following: Mrs. Gene Yonker, V. V. Cooper, Jr., Rawlins, Marian Thomas, Chester Rogers, Kelley and John Bates.

New Era Club Meets With Mrs. Clark
Members of the New Era Club met Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. H. Clark for a morning coffee. Mrs. Clark was assisted by Mrs. George Rhodes and Mrs. R. V. Robinson.

Following the serving of coffee, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, delegate from the club to the sixth district convention of Federated clubs held at Colorado City the first three days of this week, gave a most entertaining and complete report of that convention.

Mrs. W. F. Creager will be hostess to the club when it meets next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in her home. Mrs. Charles Hummell will be leader of the program.

1920 Club Has Program On Architecture
One of the most interesting programs of the club year was heard Thursday afternoon by the 1920 Club when it met in the Blue room of the Gholson hotel at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. R. M. Davenport as leader of the program introduced Mrs. J. S. McDowell who discussed Early American Types laying particular stress on the restoration of Williamsburg, Va., and giving a vivid description of William and Mary's College. In discussing

"Houses of Today," Mrs. Carl Hill told the wide choice of building materials now available and pointed to the trends in modern architecture. Mrs. Davenport, gave an illustrated discussion of colonial mansions.

In impromptu talks Mrs. Saulb Perlestein, a native of Germany, told of the architecture of that country and Mrs. W. L. Jackson, who recently spent some time in New Orleans, discussed French architecture.

Reports of the district convention held at Colorado City this week, will be made at the next regular meeting.

Just a Bit Personal . . .
Miss Doris Williams is confined to her home because of illness.

Mrs. B. A. Luker and daughter, Marilyn, of Breckenridge have returned to their home after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rawlins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Snyder announce the birth of a son Thursday evening at the City-County hospital. The baby weighed eight and three-fourths pounds and has been named Richard Russell.

Friends received word last night of the death of Rev. A. C. Nance at Comanche where he was minister of the Church of Christ.

Miss Gracie Hillard has returned to her home in Comanche after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Green.

New Refrigerator Installed In Local Clover Farm Market
Lou Williams, owner and manager of the meat department of the Clover Farm Store in Ranger, has installed a new and modern refrigerator display counter in his market.

The new display refrigerator is a Fiedrick Floating Air Refrigerator of the latest design, and replaces the counter that has been in use since the store opened several months ago.

The new fixture is of white enamel, with modern lighting fixture that make every portion of the refrigerator plainly visible.

A Nebraska woman wants to present tavern loungers for "setting 'em up" for her dog because the pet has been returning from his walks in a slightly woozy condition lately. Case of a dog who just can't say no.

Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Congress, 17th District: OTIS (OAT) MILLER of Jones County

For Representative 107th District: OMAH BURKETT

For Assessor-Collector: CLYDE S. KARKALITS

For County Clerk: R. V. (RIP) GALLOWAY

For Sheriff: LOSS WOODS WALTER EVANS

For Criminal District Attorney: EARL CONNER, JR.

For County Judge: W. S. ADAMSON R. L. RUST

For County Treasurer: GARLAND BRANTON

For District Clerk: JOHN WHITE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: HENRY V. DAVENPORT

Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2: J. N. McPATTER R. H. (BOB) HANSFORD

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7—SPECIAL NOTICES
JUST RECEIVED fresh fish, shrimp and oysters. CITY FISH MARKET.

TAXI—Phone 1. JIM TOLAND.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartments. Carter Apartments.

15—HOMES FOR SALE
FOR SALE: My 6-room modern home, A-1 Condition, attic cooling system. A real bargain. Located 1118 Foch St. See S. P. BOON or Phone 452 or 665W.

17—WANTED TO RENT
WANT TO RENT—5-room house or apartment, close in. Hamill's Millinery.

19—FOR SALE OR TRADE
FOR SALE: Young Jersey milk cow.—DR. BOB HODGES, Phone 420.

Home Owned and Operated Phone 60—Free Delivery

LESTER CROSSLEY'S CLOVER FARM STORES FLOUR

Peacemaker Highest Quality 48 LBS. \$1.55

Heart's Delight 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 25c

RED CUP 2 lbs. 29c

We Grind It Fresh

Save with Convenience
Costs on all your grocery needs at Clover Farm Stores will be lower than you would find by tramping many weary blocks and making a pack horse out of yourself by lugging things home. We're just around the corner in easy walking distance; or you can telephone us—most of our stores deliver; our prices average very low indeed; and best of all, our foods are highest quality and dependable. We're your neighbor and we appreciate your patronage—may we serve you?

PEACHES Heart's Delight 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 25c

COFFEE RED CUP 2 lbs. 29c

We Grind It Fresh

CAMAY SOAP Regular Bar 5c

BABY FOOD Libby's Regular Size Cans 5c

TOILET TISSUE 4 Glendale Rolls 15c

MATCHES 6 Box Carton 15c

SALT 3 Boxes 10c

MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI 3 BOXES 10c

CELERY Tender and Crisp Stalk 9c

LEMONS SUNKIST 2 DOZEN 25c

LETTUCE Head 5c

CARROTS 2 Bunches 5c

SPINACH 2 Cans 15c

SYRUP Thrift No. 5 Can 29c

STRAWBERRIES Pint 10c

TOMATOES Pound 15c

APPLES Extra Fancy Winesap Dozen 19c

ORANGES SUNKIST Dozen 19c

Lou's QUALITY Meats

FRESH WATER CAT FISH Just Arrived!

PORK SAUSAGE 10c Per Pound

BABY BEEF CHUCK ROAST 18c Per Pound

VEAL STEW 10c Per Pound

PORK SHOULDER ROAST 12 1/2c Per Pound

Armour Star Sliced BACON 21c Per Pound

MARKET SLICED BACON Per Lb. 15c

BABY BEEF STEAKS Always Tender—Lb. 27c

Fresh Dressed FRYERS PORK NO. 1 SALT Per Lb. 10c

A. & P. Food Stores

A FULL SUPPLY OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES EVERY DAY
SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Oranges 10 FOR	Carrots 2 BUNCHES
Lemons 10c	Radishes 5c
Apples 10c	Green Onions 5c
GOLDEN RIPE BANANAS Lb. 5c	NICE FIRM LETTUCE 2 HEADS 9c
RHUBARB Pound 5c	NICE LARGE HEADS CAULIFLOWER, each 15c
FRESH CRISP CELERY TWO STALKS 15c	TURNIP GREENS 2 BUNCHES 5c
	MUSTARD GREENS 2 BUNCHES 5c

Watch Our Windows for Added Specials!

IONA TOMATOES 4 NO. 2 CANS 25c	A. & P. SOFTWIST BREAD 24 Oz. LOAF 9c
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PINTO BEANS 10 Lbs. 49c	SULTANA Peanut Butter 2 Lb. Jar 25c	HORMEL'S SPAM Can 25c
SHREDDED WHEAT Box 10c	IONA BEANS WITH PORK 2 1-Lb. Cans 9c	KETCHUP 14 Oz. Bot. 10c
POST TOASTIES 3 lge. pkgs. 25c	IONA Salad Dressing Qt. Jar 19c	WHITE HOUSE MILK 3 tall cans 18c

NECTAR TEA 1/4 Pound Package 15c	1/2 Pound Package 29c	3 Pound Package 39c	8 O'CLOCK COFFEE 2 1-Lb. Pkgs. 29c
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